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For:	:	SKATE CHASSIS HAVING A-FRAME CONSTRUCTION)
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SUPPLEMENTAL REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.175

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Dear Sir:

We, the undersigned inventors, hereby declare that:

1. Our residence, post office address and citizenship are stated below next to our names.

2. We believe that we are the original, first and joint inventors of the subject matter described and claimed in U.S. Patent No. 5,810,369 (the '369 patent), issued September 22, 1998, and of the subject matter disclosed and claimed in the above-captioned reissue application.

3. We have reviewed and understand the contents of the specification and claims of the accompanying reissue application, including the claims as amended by the amendment filed on December 13, 2002, and including Claim 1 as amended in the attached document entitled "Amendments to Claim 1 to be Filed With Supplemental Reissue Declaration". On information provided to us by our attorneys, we believe the document entitled "Amendments to Claim 1 to be

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Filed With Supplemental Reissue Declaration" will be filed in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office at the same time as this Supplemental Declaration.

4. We acknowledge the duty to disclose to the United States Patent and Trademark Office all information known to us to be material to patentability as defined by 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

5. On information and belief, the '369 patent is partially inoperable by claiming less than we had a right to claim. At least one insufficiency is that the original claim set as issued lacks a claim directed to a method of making a roller skate chassis. Reissue Claim 29 is directed to such a method of making a roller skate chassis. As such, Claim 29 cures at least this insufficiency.

6. On information and belief, all errors being corrected in the reissue application arose without any deceptive intent on the part of the applicants.

7. We declare that all statements made herein of our knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful, false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code, and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or patent issuing therefrom.

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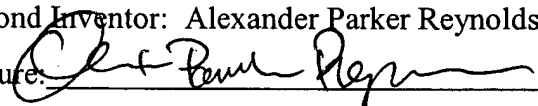
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2. Upon information provided to us by our attorneys it is our belief that a document entitled "Roller Hockey Pricelist 1997" purports to be effective July 1, 1996 (the "Critical Date"). Prior to the Critical Date, we conceived our invention for a roller skate chassis that has an A-frame construction when viewed in cross-section. Attached as Exhibits 1 and 2 are engineering drawings depicting die extrusion embodiments that were designed for use in making our invention. The engineering drawings are true and correct, except that the original drawing dates, all of which were prior to the Critical Date, have been redacted.

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3. Attached as Exhibits 3 and 4 are photographs of a prototype A-frame roller skate chassis that was constructed using a die extrusion as shown in the engineering drawing of Exhibit 1. This prototype was constructed prior to the Critical Date.

4. Prior to the Critical Date, we tested a prototype similar to the prototype shown in Exhibits 3 and 4 by attaching the prototype to a skate boot, attaching wheels to the prototype, and then using the assembly for skating. Upon completion of testing, and prior to the Critical Date, we were satisfied that our invention would work as intended.

5. We declare that all statements made herein of our own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements are made with the knowledge that willful, false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful, false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing therefrom.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: _____

Thomas Vaughan Wilder

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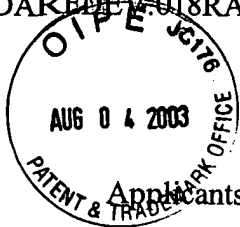


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